

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the Abstract on page 73 as follows:

An inspecting apparatus for inspecting a performance of a circuit baseboard. The inspecting apparatus includes a PLD having a circuit for inspecting the circuit baseboard based upon a response signal from the circuit baseboard. A file storing device may be provided so as to store at least one PLD file in a memory. A correspondence assigning device is provided so as to assign correspondence of a PLD file to a circuit baseboard and register information of the correspondence in the memory. A list displaying device may be provided so as to display a list of a plurality of circuit baseboards to be viewed. A determining device may be provided so as to determine a type of a circuit baseboard selected from the list of a plurality of circuit baseboards via the list display. ~~A loading device may also be provided so as to refer to the correspondence information and specify and read an applicable PLD file from the memory. The loading device may load the PLD with the applicable PLD file in accordance with the type of the circuit baseboard.~~